preparing to go with him, most willingly. H
called for a hackney coach, and when it came
we both entered and made for the Lunati
Asylum.

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When we reached the Asylum, they pi
me in a two-roomed pukka building, c
which I occupied one room, the other lyin
vacant for the time being. I was told the
those rooms were meant for special clas
patients. The moment I arrived I seemed i
hear great noise and bustle amongst the inmate
of the place. It appeared to me, as if, the
had found their man at last and so stirred thenr
selves to action, some dropping down, othei
lifting up, empty and hollow sounding kitche
utensils, just to show me that they were empt
and unfilled; if it should please my generosit
to permit them, they would at once go and g<
them filled with eatables from the kitchen nee
by. They took me for some big wig, it seem
and they would satisfy their long-famishe
maws, voraciously feeding upon my

ever s
generous bounty. Of course, there
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direct talk with me, to that effect.
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